in all the schools, they can decide the questions jointly and no fresh committee need be appointed.

Dewan.—When seats are limited and applications numerous, there will be practical difficulty in alloting seats. Each member of a committee will safeguard the interests of his own community. Such a committee can only be, if at all, an advisory committee, but the final decision will have to be with the school or college committee.

Mr. S. Srikantiah.—There would be no difficulty if the entire education is made free, though it may involve heavy expenditure.

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao and Mr. G. Paramasiviah agreed to it and the latter said that if this was done there need be no scholarships too.

The Dewan replied that the question would be considered.

DEVELOPMENT—MORAL AND MATERIAL.

Co-operative Societies.

(No. 115.)

Subject No. 115.

Permission to file suits against Co-operative Societies in Munsiffs' Courts.

Mr. J. Raghavendra Rao, Jagalur Taluk.

Mr. J. Raghavendra Rao.—According to the existing practice suits against Co-operative Societies for recovery of the amounts due from them have to be filed before the Registrar of Co-operative Societies or with his permission in the Munsiffs' Courts. It has happened in most cases that as the Registrar is the departmental head of the Societies the permission sought for to file the suits in the Munsiffs' Courts is generally refused and suits filed before him are disposed of in favour of societies, thus causing injustice. It is hence prayed that the present practice may be modified so as to admit of suits being filed direct in Munsiffs' Courts.

First Member of Council.—This question has engaged the attention of the Mysore Co-operative Committee, and it will be considered along with the Committee's Report.

MISCELLANEOUS.

(Nos. 116 and 117).

Subject No. 116.

Supply of superior quality of Stationery articles.

Messrs. C. Narasimhaiya, Heggaddevankote Taluk, and B. Kesaviah, Chikmagalur Taluk.

It was represented that paper of very inferior quality was being used for writing Judge's Notes and other permanent record and that for obvious reasons better kinds of paper should be used for the purpose. As a measure of economy, judicial forms were printed on the back of other matter, not pertaining to the form itself which was not desirable and should therefore be put a stop to.

Dewan.—Noted for consideration.

Subject No. 117.

Kannada to be made the language in all official correspondence in the State.

Summary of Discussion.—Except correspondence with the Residency and the Government of India, all State correspondence must be in Kannada as far as possible. A beginning may be made now and gradually it will be possible to achieve the end in view. In Baroda, Hyderabad, etc., major portion of official correspondence

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is in the mother-tongue of the country and everywhere the mother-tongue is respected. If Kannada is adopted in this State also, apart from other advantages accruing therefrom, it will contribute to the up lift of the backward communities.

Dewan.—Revenue and other notices and orders intended for communication to people in taluks and villages may be in Kannada. Arrangements have been made to publish all matters of public interest simultaneously in the Kannada portion of the *Mysore Gazette.* The matter will be noted and Government will see what can be done. But it is quite unpractical so far as the writing of judgments is concerned.